

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the illegal use of the media for political partisanship. This is trying to be passed off as an unbiased news-worthy piece without political overtones. It's a damn lie.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. But when large companies control the airwaves, we get more of what's good for the bottom line and less of what we need for our democracy. And in this case we have a large corporation trying to use their power and influence to persuade and manipulate the average citizen to reflect their own political agenda.

It is by law the responsibility of the FCC to oversee and regulate such endeavors, and any failure or neglect to do so is an indictment of the FCC.

Thank you for your time,

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